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G.O. No.	2008 10
Dated	1.2.42

[Despatch Abstract.]

Medical Institutions - Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore - radio set - acceptance - orders passed.

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Department: Medical

Received 15 MAY 1942

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From (Name) Major-General H. Stott, CIE., OBE., MD., FRCP., DPH., KHP., IMS.

Designation Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras

Station Anantapur

To The Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department.

Enclosures:

Ref. No. 8276-3 dated

Sir,

Subject: Government Head Quarters Hospital, Mangalore--Gift of a Radio set for the amenities of the patients--Sanction for acceptance--requested.

The gift of a Radio Set was presented by one of the previous Superintendents of the Head quarters Hospital, Mangalore for the amenities of the patients of the Hospital. A license fee of Rs. 10/- was paid from the Poor Fund Account for 1941 and this was objected to by the Auditors. The Accountant General on consultation states in his letter No. A.A. 29-12/41-42-3520 dated 19--3--42 (Copy Enclosed), that the licence fee is not a legitimate charge on the Poor Fund Account.

It is requested that Government may be pleased to issue formal orders accepting the gift and permitting the recurring expenditure involved in running the Radio Set to be met from the normal Annual Allotment of funds for the Hospital.

A reference is in this connection invited to G.O. No. Ms.

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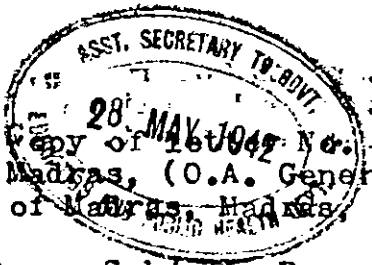
3293 P.H. dated 15th September, 1939, in which an identical item of expenditure has been sanctioned by Government.



for Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

Copy of letter No. O.A. 29-12/41-42/3520 from the Accountant-General Madras, (O.A. General Section) to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, Madras, dated 19th March, 1942.

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Subject: Renewal fee of a Radio set in the Government Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore--Debit to Poor Fund Account.

With reference to your letter No. Ref. 8276-1H dated the 17th February, 1942, forwarding for remarks a copy of letter No.R.O.C. 91/42, dated the 30th January, 1942, from the District Medical Officer, South Kanara, on the subject indicated above, I have the honour to invite your attention to the rules issued in G.O.No. 1638 Mis. Finance, dated 7-8-1926, and to state that funds in the Poor Fund Accounts are intended primarily to be utilised to provide poor and deserving patients with crutches, artificial limbs and other appliances and in paying railway fares of those whose homes are away. As the license fee paid for renewing the license of a Radio set does not seem to be an appropriate charge to the Poor Fund the debit of the same to this Fund does not seem to be in order.

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Please let me know when a reply may be expected to my TM dy 28.5.42 re: the name of the donor who ~~had~~ gave given the Radio Set to the Hdqrs Hosp Mangalore

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In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Received 14 JUN 1942 EDUCATION & PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT. *Registered*

From (Name) Major-General H. Stott, CIE., OBE., MD., FRCP., DPH., KHS., IMS.,
(Designation) Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras,
Post Box ____, (Station) Anantapur.

Telegraphic Address

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.

Ref. *No.* 8276-5H, *dated* 11th June, 1942.

Sir,

Sub: * Government Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore--Gift of a Radio Set--Particulars called for.

Ref: Government Telephonic Message by Post dated 28th M 1942.

The District Medical Officer, South Kanara has been requested to furnish the name of the Superintendent of the Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore who presented the Radio Set. He is being reminded in the matter.,

P.T

ENCLOSURES.....

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A communication will be sent to Government on receipt of reply from him.

B. Muthabha.

for Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

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Submitted for perusal.
The S/S will be reminded on
15.7.42 if necessary

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Government Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore - Gift of a Radio Set - Particulars called for.

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Ref. No. 8276-7II

Station Anantapur, *Dated the* 20th June 1942.

From (Name) Major-General H. Stott, C.I.E., O.B.E., M.D., F.R.C.P., D.P.H., K.H.S., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Education and Public Health Department.

Sir,

Reference: Telephonic message by post from Government, dated 28th May 1942.

A copy of letter* dated 12th June 1942 from Capt. C.R. Naidu, M.B.C.M., Retired District Medical Officer, South Kanara, Mangalore, explaining fully the circumstances that led to the presentation of the Radio set to the hospital is herewith forwarded for the information of Government.

B. Muttabba.

for Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras.

H.K.20-6-42.

P.T.O.

Copy of letter*:

With reference to your R.O.C.No.91/42 dated 6th June 1942 I wish to state as follows:-

During the time that I was the District Medical Officer at Mangalore, I wanted to overhaul thoroughly all the old records and files in the office of the District Medical Officer and bring them into a perfect order to facilitate quick reference and to expedite correspondence promptly.

I put my Head Clerk Mr. Rajagopalan on to this job. While he was thus engaged, he struck upon an old Postal Savings Pass Book, standing in the name of (?) Major Hassell Wright, I.M.S., one of the District Medical Officers of the District. The latter seems to have collected privately an amount of about Rs.175/- and deposited it in the Postal Savings Bank. He seems to have collected this amount on his own initiative with a view to make some improvements to the old Operation Theatre of the Hospital as it then existed.

The book seems to have been mislaid and forgotten by him and does not seem to have been noticed by any of the succeeding District Medical Officers till it was rummaged by my Head Clerk.

As it was a private collection made by a District Medical Officer for the specific purpose of improving the hospital, I thought I was entitled, as Superintendent of the hospital, to operate on the amount, for the benefit of the hospital. But I could not use it for the specific purpose for which Major Hassell Wright had collected the amount - because a modern up-to-date operation theatre - well furnished and well equipped had since come into existence.

So, after utilizing a small portion of the amount for engaging an assistant to help the Head Clerk in further overhauling the District Medical Officer's office records, I utilized all the balance, the major portion - for purchasing a radio set for the hospital.

When bringing this property into the hospital Stock Register, I was not quite sure whether I could mention the name of Major Hassell Wright - as he did not actually make the present nor was that his object. I therefore satisfied myself with saying "presented by one of the District Medical Officers". I shall be pleased to give detailed accounts in case you need them.

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Medical Institutions — Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore — Radio set — ~~Gift~~ acceptance — orders passed —

20/11/42

CT No. 17501 D2 From the SG. No 8276 — Dt 13.5.1942

Order (Ms) 2008 dt 20.6.42 PHD. 117/42

The circumstances under which the Radio Set referred to in the S.G.'s letter was received for

~~The Govt accept with thanks the gift of a Radio set from a former Supt of~~ the Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore, for the benefit of ~~the~~ patients ~~of the hospital.~~

Do not make it necessary that it should now be accepted formally as a gift

2 The recurring expenditure involved in ~~running~~ working the Radio set will however be met from the ~~normal annual allotment of funds for~~ budget grant of the hospital.

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To

The SG (Q to)

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. 25 MAY 1942 EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPTT.

MAY 1942

~~The Ad thro' Fin~~ Legible copy.

Note Maybe sent to Fin UO for acceptance

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The draft may be accepted

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The map overleaf may be issued.

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Name of diver necessary so that he can be instructed,

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T. M to the P.A to S.G. dt 29.5.42.
From the S.G. No. 8276-7 H dt 20.6.42

Please see the letter from the S.G. and its enclosure on CF 7-8. Submitted for orders whether the order overleaf may issue

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It is not perhaps appropriate to term the Radio Set as a gift by a D.M.O. but to accept it as such.

All that is necessary is to sanction the recurring expenses. Draft as noted at P/1 is for consideration.

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Government of Madras.

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Abstract.

Medical Institutions - Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore - Radio set - acceptance - Orders passed.

Education and Public Health Department.

G.O.No.MS. 2008 P.H. dated 1st July 1942.

Read :-
From the Surgeon-General, No. 8276 -3/4 dated 13th May 1942.
ORDER :-do- -7/4 dated 20th June 1942.

The circumstances under which the Radio Set referred to in the Surgeon-General's letters was provided for the Headquarters Hospital, Mangalore, for the benefit of the patients do not make it necessary that it should now be accepted formally as a gift.

2. The recurring expenditure involved in working the Radio set will however be met from the budget grant of the hospital.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

E.C.WOOD

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To the Surgeon-General.
To the Accountant-General through Finance department.

(True Copy)

Forwarded

(By order)

Superintendent.

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